

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliance dated April 18, 2005, Claims 1-89 remain in the application. The claims have not been amended.

The examiner alleges that the reply filed on January 25, 2005 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because Applicants elected Species I and stated that claims 1-4, 6, 30 and 32-34 read on the elected species. The examiner alleges that claim 30 does not read on the elected species because Claim 30 (as amended) is depended from the non-elected species IV, claim 10.

As the Examiner states that Claim 30 is not included in Species I, accordingly, in order to expedite prosecution, Applicants hereby withdraw Claim 30 from inclusion in the list of claims reading on Species I, and hereby submits the following revised election of species:

Applicants hereby provisionally elect the claims of Species I, specifically, claims 1-4, 6, and 32-34.

SUMMARY

In view of the foregoing revised election and remarks, it is felt that the election/restriction imposed by the examiner on December 28, 2004 has been satisfied. Therefore, allowance of the application is respectfully requested.

If, However, the Examiner believes that there are any unresolved issues requiring adverse final action in any of the claims now pending in the application, the Examiner should telephone Robert Wallace at (805) 644-4035 so that appropriate

arrangements can be made for resolving such issues as expeditiously as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Robert M. Wallace".

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